ADVANCES OF PAY TO MINISTERIAL OFFICERS PROCEEDING ON PRIVILEGE LEAVE.

Circular No. 1624, *dated* 19*th March* 1885.

Numerous instances having occurred in which advances of pay to Ministerial officers proceeding on privilege leave under Section 138-1 of the Civil Leave Code are drawn on simple receipts, the Comptroller has the honor to request Treasury Officers to refuse payment unless the pay is drawn in the form of a supplemental establishment bill and accompanied by a separate order for payment signed by the Head of the office.

Such advances to men belonging to the Taluk establishments will also require the original sanction of the Deputy Commissioner of the District or the Officer in charge of the Sub-Division before payment is made.

MYSORE RAILWAY DEBENTURES—PAYMENT OF INTEREST.

To—The Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Department, Circular No. 1625, *dated* 19*th March* 1885.

The interest on Mysore Railway 5 per cent Debentures has hitherto been payable at any Treasury where they are presented without special enfacement or orders from this office. Henceforward in case the last payment of interest has been made at another Treasury, the Treasury Officer, whether of a District or Taluk Treasury from which payment is required, will first send the upper half of the Debenture to the Comptroller with an application from the holder requiring transfer of payment of interest.

The Comptroller will enface an order and return the half Debenture to the Treasury Officer at the same time advising the Treasury where last payment was made.

Every Treasury, District or Taluk, will open a register of the Mysore Debentures on which interest has been paid for the half year ending 14th February 1885. Each Debenture should be entered as payment is made, and any future transfers from or to the Treasury should be noted in the following form :—

Number of Debenture.	Amount.	Half year for which Interest is paid.	Amount of Interest.	Date of Payment.	To whom paid.	Remarks as to Transfers, &c.

Space to be left between each entry for say ten half yearly payments.

H. HUDSON,
Comptroller.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The 14*th March* 1885.

Wanted,—

A few experienced Surveyors and Draughtsmen for temporary employment for 4 or 5 months. Salary according to qualifications.

2. Applications should be accompanied by copies of certificates and testimonials, and should be addressed to undersigned.

C. H. M. KENSINGTON, *Captain, R. E.,*
Suptg. Engineer of Mysore.